

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## March 25, 2019



Daffodil Hill, Volcano, Amador County.

Photo Credit: Los Angeles Times



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## National Terrorism Advisory System



## SITUATION SUMMARY

### Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

#### Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

#### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

#### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

## FIRE ACTIVITY

### Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

- No significant activity to report.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no emergency center activations.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



# CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

## 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

### **911 Outage, Multiple Counties and Law Enforcement Agencies Affected (UPDATE)**

On 03/23/19 at 1230 hours, Frontier notified the CA 9-1-1 Branch that 9-1-1 was unavailable in Inyo and Mono Counties as well as at Ridgecrest PD due to a network issue.

- This was a total network isolation.
- The 9-1-1 outage was the result of a fiber issue in the area.
- Additional jurisdictions affected: Bishop PD, Mono County SO, Inyo County SO, Bishop CHP, Ridgecrest PD, California City PD, Colton PD
- On 03/24/19 at 1817 hours, the California State Warning Center was notified by the CA 9-1-1 Branch that the outage was restored.
  - Per Frontier, all service has been restored.
  - Successful test calls have been made to the affected PSAPs.
  - All 9-1-1 traffic is routing properly.

### Service Interruptions:

- None reported.



# **WEATHER OF CONCERN**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Dry and mild weather ahead of a slow moving storm system arriving Monday and Monday night.
- A stronger storm is possible Tuesday night through Wednesday.
- Afternoon thunderstorms will be possible Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Unsettled weather will continue on Thursday with showers and possible thunderstorms before the return to dry weather.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Warming will continue through Monday under fair skies. High clouds will begin to thicken on Tuesday ahead of another Pacific storm that will move inland across the State midweek.
- Breezy and cooler conditions, and a chance of scattered, light showers late Wednesday.
- The weather looks dry for next weekend with some warming expected.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**03/25/19 - 03/31/19**

## **Monday-Tuesday**

- Rain and mountain snow will continue to move east across Northern CA Monday
  - Mountain travel impacts across the Sierra and southern Cascades due to accumulating snowfall above 5000 ft through Tuesday morning
    - 8-12 inches of snow expected above 5000-6000 ft with ridge wind gusts 50-60 mph combining to create periods of poor visibility
- Isolated thunderstorms possible along the Del Norte Coast this afternoon.

## **Wednesday-Thursday**

- Heaviest precipitation of the week still expected Wednesday into Wednesday night, mainly Coastal and Inland regions
  - Snow levels in Northern CA 4000-6000 ft with heavy snow, gusty winds, and significant travel impacts possible above 5000 ft (3-5 ft over higher mountains)
  - Best chances of the week for any light precipitation to reach Southern CA with snow levels 4500-5000 ft Wednesday night and impacts to Interstate 5 at Grapevine possible
  - Thunderstorms possible Wednesday, especially for Coastal and Inland regions.
    - Some strong to severe thunderstorms possible for Sacramento River valley and foothills locations in Inland region.
- Cool and showery weather continues Thursday, mainly across Northern CA

## **Friday-Sunday**

- Dry conditions expected into the early part of next weekend across much of CA
  - Very light precipitation possible Sunday in extreme northwest portions of the state.





# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

03/25/19 - 03/31/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Coastal / Inland		Coastal / Southern	Southern			
Snow	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland			
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Coastal	Inland	Coastal / Inland				
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow	Coastal / Inland	Coastal / Inland	Coastal / Inland	Coastal / Inland			
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



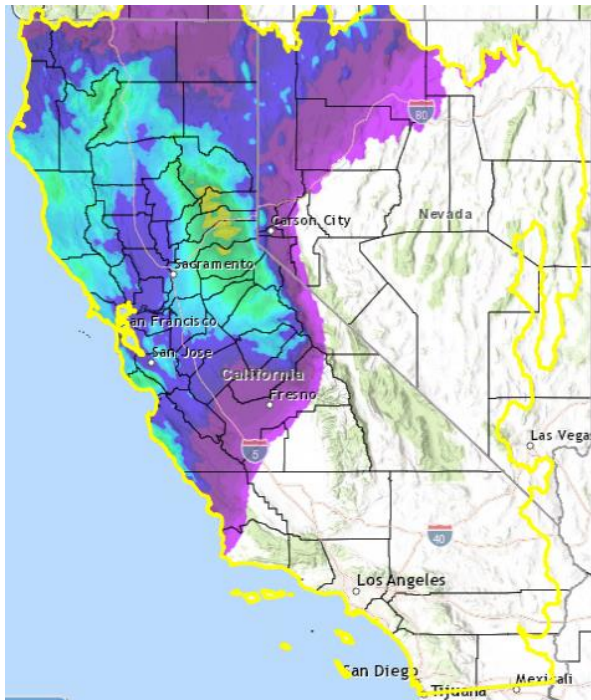
Moderate Impacts



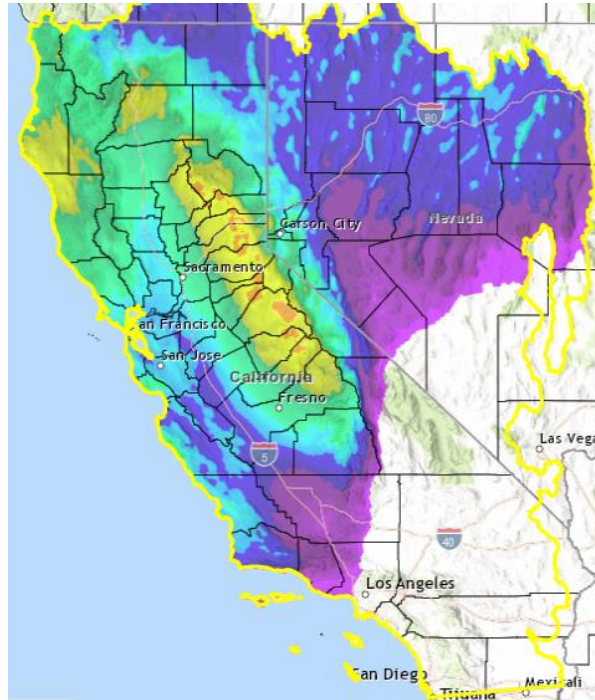
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# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

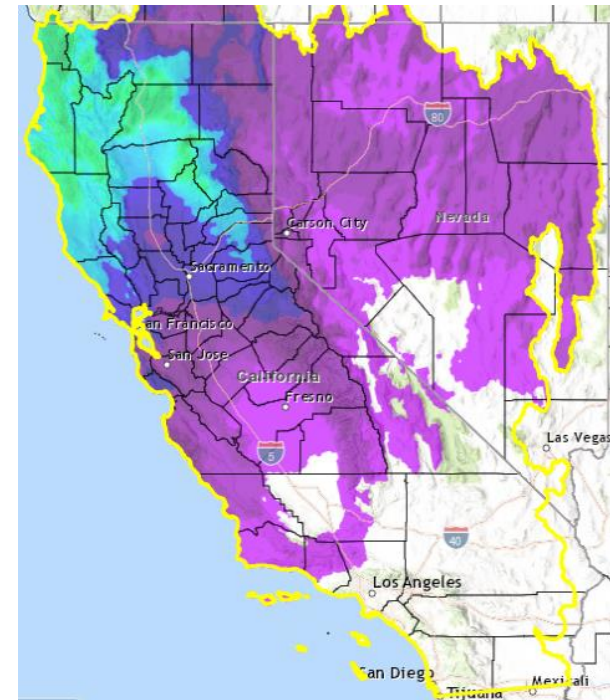
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**Monday / Monday Night**



**Tuesday / Tuesday Night**



**Wednesday / Wednesday Night**

**Precipitation (inches)**



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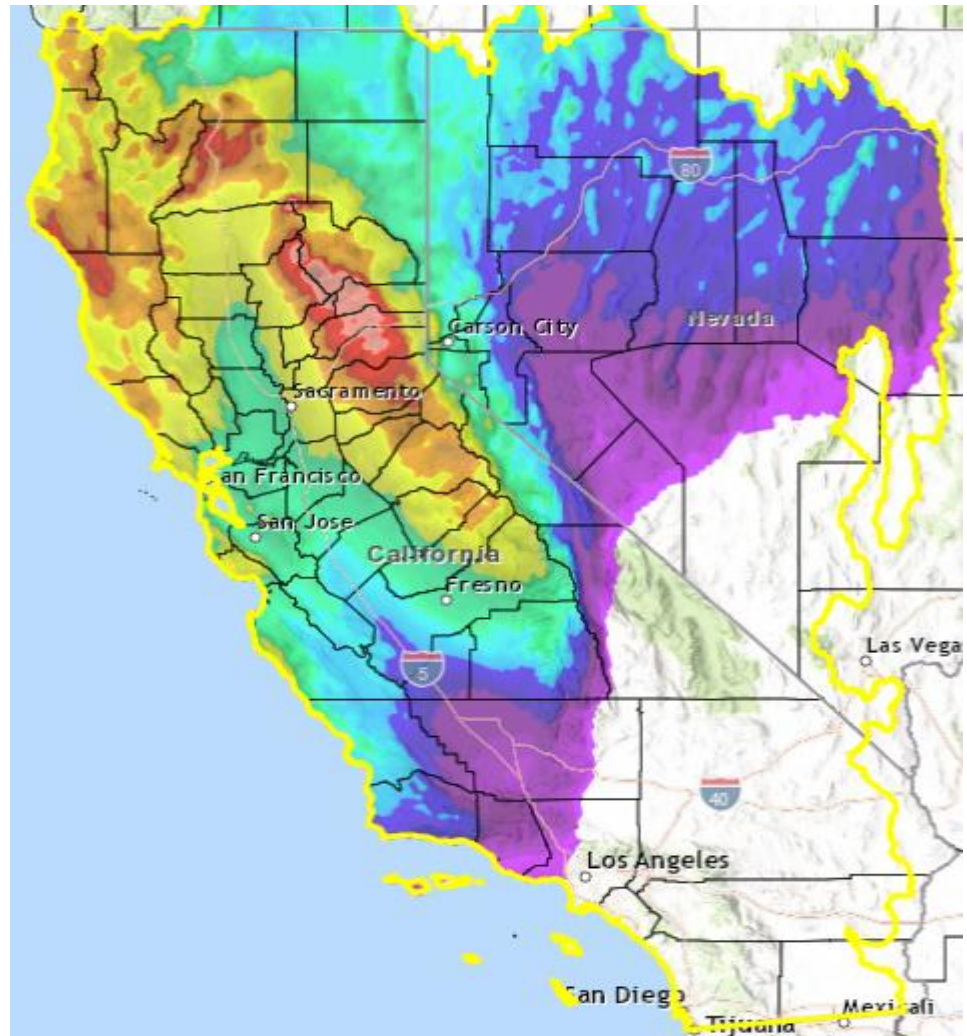
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## **Monday – Wednesday Night**

Graphic shows forecast for accumulated liquid precipitation across CA from both of the storm systems expected to move through the state during the early to middle portion of the coming week. Elevations above about 4000-5000 ft will have this precipitation mainly falling as heavy snow.

Precipitation decreases Thursday into Friday.

Very light rain is possible in Northwest CA Sunday, but otherwise a dry weekend is expected.



**Precipitation (inches)**





# NORTHERN CA BURN SCAR PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/25/19 - 03/27/19

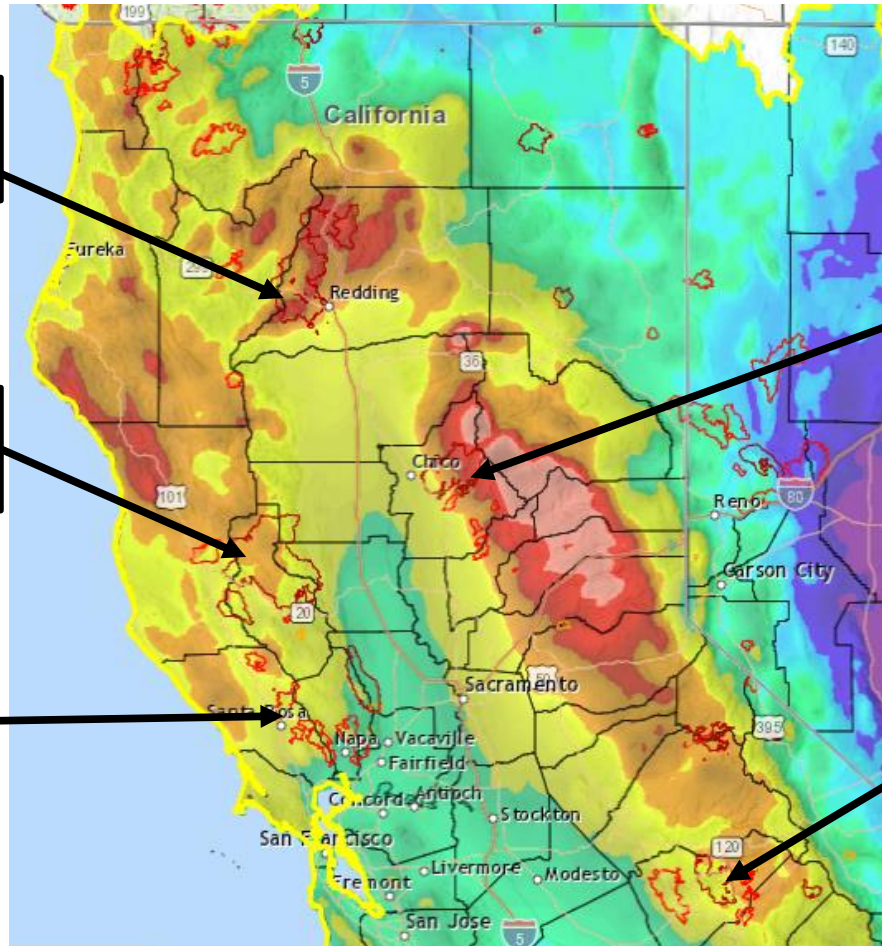
**Carr Fire**  
2-3.5 inches

**Camp Fire**  
1.5-4 inches

**Mendocino Complex**  
1.33-2.33 inches

**North Bay Fires**  
1-2 inches

**Ferguson Fire**  
1.5-2 inches



**3-day Total Precipitation Mon-Wed Night**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# CAMP FIRE PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/25/19 - 03/27/19

## **Wet through mid-week for Camp Fire Area**

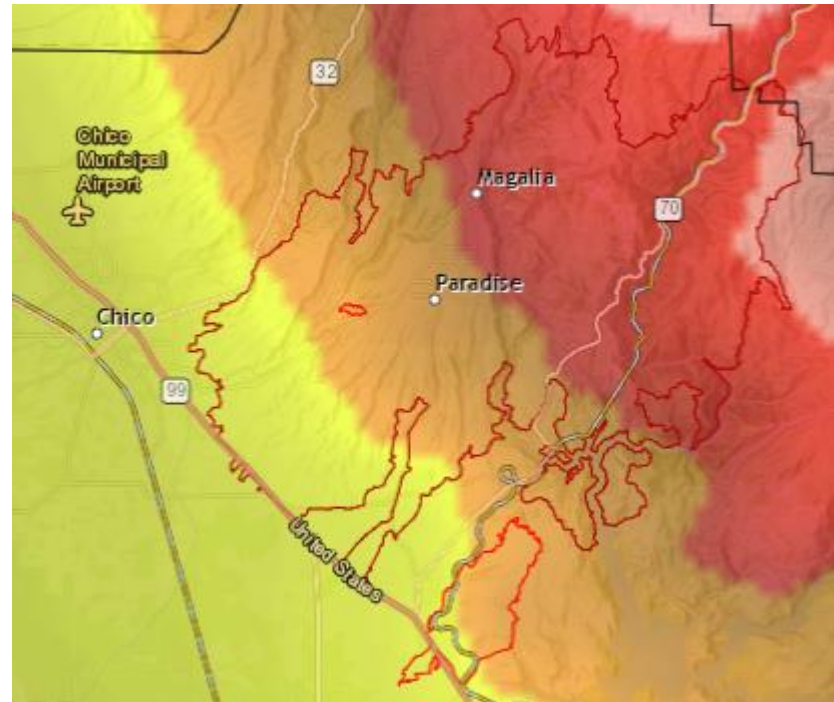
0.6-1.75 inches Mon-Mon Night

0.2-0.6 inch Tue-Tue Night

0.6-2.0 inches Wed-Wed Night

Only highest elevations of the impacted area will see a mix of rain and snow this week, so these amounts will mainly be rains.

Precipitation decreases Thur into Fri, with a dry weekend expected.



## **3-day Total Precipitation Mon-Wed Night**

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**03/30/19 - 04/07/19**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (Mar 30 – Apr 3)**

### **Temperatures**

- Moderate confidence for above normal temperatures.

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation favored across Northern CA, with near normal conditions in Southern CA.

## **8-14 Day Outlook (Apr 1 – Apr 7)**

### **Temperatures**

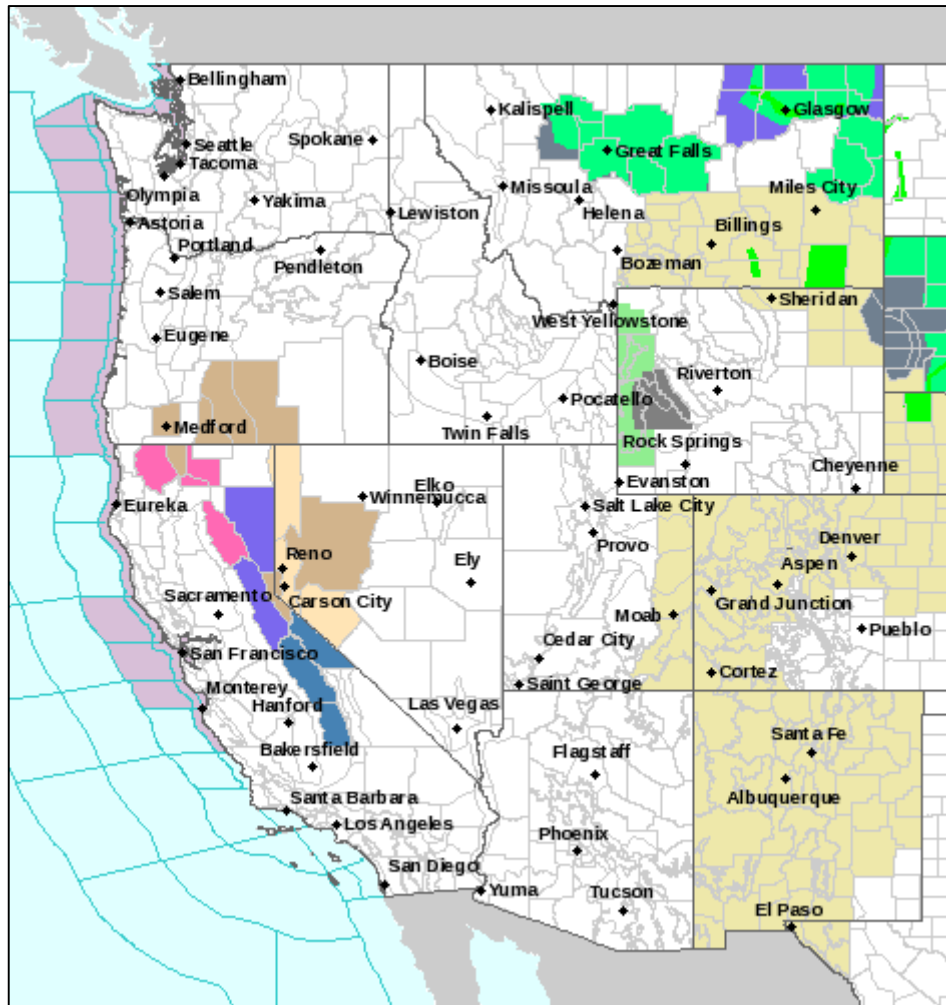
- Above normal temperatures slightly favored statewide.

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation favored across CA.



# WEATHER MAP



- [Winter Storm Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Winter Storm Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-283, 03/18/19, 1250 hours:** Fresno County requested 2 Human Remains Detection (HRD) canines to assist with the search of a missing person possibly related to a law enforcement sensitive case. The request was for 03/20/19 (Wednesday) at 0800 hours. The Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch (LEB) Canine Coordinator coordinated the canine response. **UPDATE: 03/20/19, 1820 hours:** Fresno County advised the HRD dogs were released from the search and requested to close the mission. **UPDATE: 03/21/19, 1550 hours:** Mission re-opened, Fresno Sheriff is requested 2 additional canines to assist with the ongoing search. Cal OES LEB Canine Coordinator coordinating canine response. **MISSION ONGOING**

## Closed Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-424, 03/24/19, 1553 hours,** IERCC advised of a PLB (SOS) activation plotting to the Angeles Crest Hwy. area in Los Angeles County (34.260746 -118.188236). No further information available. LDO contacted LASD DOC. LASD confirmed the activation was in relation to a two vehicle traffic collision with minor injuries on Angeles Crest Hwy. The r/o of the device was one of the involved parties, and was transported to Huntington Memorial Hospital. **MISSION CLOSED**
- **2019-LAW-420, 03/23/19, 2035 hours:** IERCC advised of a PLB (InReach) activation in the area of Inyo County, Death Valley National Park (36.796732 / -117.131166). IERCC also called NPS dispatch and relayed the information to them. LDO contacted Inyo Sheriff and advised them of the incident. Inyo SO SAR monitoring the incident. **Update: 03/23/19, 2252 hours:** NPS has located the victim, who sustained injuries in a fall. NPS coordinating for a helicopter to medevac the victim. **Update: 03/24/19, 1105 hours:** An uninjured female with the injured party evacuated by NPS. The victim sustained fatal injuries. NPS and Inyo County coordinated a CHP helicopter to retrieve the body. **Update: 03/24/19, 1705 hours:** CHP helicopter packaged body for a flight to coroner personnel. **MISSION CLOSED**

# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2019-CREOC-58434:** Request for two DTSC Hazmat Teams to remove Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) from right of way and private property. Mission extended through 03/30/19 (On Scene)
- **2019-SREOC-57753:** Requesting equipment to excavate material from under road culverts. (On Scene)
- **2018-SOUTHERN-56869:** Daily Operations - Communication Support for the Baker to Vegas Challenge Cup Relay XXXIV. Southern Region CRU staff, COMM 24, MIGU 6 [released and in quarters](#).



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